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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding acupuncture services within NHS Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/[Response](#):

1. How much money did the CCG spend on acupuncture services in the financial years 2013-14, 2014-15, and 2015-16?

[Nil - NHS Southport and Formby CCG does not commission acupuncture services](#)

2. How many referrals for acupuncture services were made in each of those years (if possible, broken down by initial consultation and follow-up consultations)?

[Not applicable](#)

3. For which conditions were patients referred to acupuncture services in each of those years (with numbers per condition, if possible)?

[Not applicable](#)

4. Do you have a written policy on the funding of acupuncture services? If so, please provide a copy.

[Not applicable](#)

5. Do you have any contracts with acupuncture providers to whom you may refer patients? If so, please (i) confirm with whom you have contracts and (ii) provide copies of the contracts.

[Not applicable](#)